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September 8, 1998

The Cambridge Department of Public Works
Mr. Owen O'Riordan
Sewer Division Supervisor
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Re: Harvard University Storm Drainage Project

Dear Mr. O'Riordan:

This letter is in regard to my meeting with Mr. Larry Loverme on Wednesday September 2, 1998 concerning the Harvard University Storm Drainage Project. The topic of discussion was the most recent water test results for the new storm drainage system, in particular the test results for the Pusey Library forced main at Manhole J, and the proposed connection to the Cambridge system.

Harvard University has completed the installation of the storm drainage system including all inlet piping connections. We initiated flushing of the 6 inch forced main piping from the storm drainage sump in Pusey Library to the piping connection in Manhole J with the effluent being pumped to the sanitary waste system from Manhole 0+00. We propose that continued flushing will remove any residual contamination in the pipeline, which may have been evident in the test results.

As approved by Mr. Loverme, Harvard University directed its contractor to make the final connection to the Cambridge Storm Drainage System on Friday 9-4-98. This was done with the understanding that the permit is conditional upon testing of the system as follows:

Monthly testing for the next three months at:

(a) Pusey Library sump
(b) Pusey forced main effluent at Manhole J
(c) Manhole 0+00

Should the test results be unacceptable to you after the 3 tests, Harvard University will excavate as needed to connect the forced main to the sanitary waste system.

We look forward to your comments and thank you for your continuing assistance to Harvard University on this storm drainage project.

Sincerely,

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